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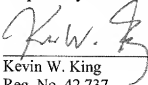
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Sir:

The Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final rejection set forth in the Office Action mailed February 15, 2008, in the referenced application. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$510.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-5029.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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